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SUBJECT: MAJOR PROJECT: ZULIA COAL DEVELOPMENT --
ENGINEERING SERVICES CONTRACT

REF: 77 CARACAS A156; 77 CARACAS 2603

1. PROJECT NAME: ENGINEERING SERVICES CONTRACT FOR GUASARE COAL
MINES.

2. BRIEF DESCRIPTION: CORPOZULIA IS SEEKING A FIRM TO PROVIDE
THE FOLLOWING ENGINEERING SERVICES FOR THEIR COAL DEVELOPMENT PROJECT
:

A) FEASIBILITY STUDIES

B) 16,000 METERS OF CORING AND DRILLING

C) ANALYSIS OF COAL QUALITY

D) PROGRAM DESIGN

E) MINE OPERATION DESIGN
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F) ROAD AND TRANSPORTATION DESIGN (EXCLUDING THE
RAILROAD)

G) DRAINAGE DESIGN

H) DRILLING GRID DESIGNS

I) POWER DISTRIBUTION

J) OTHER MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES RELATED TO THE COAL MINES

K) DESCRIPTION OF THE REQUIRED LABOR FORCE, AND TRAINING
REQUIRED.

L) DESIGN OF SURFACE FACILITIES INCLUDING SHOPS, WAREHOUSES,
OFFICES, COAL LOADING STATION AND THE RAILHEAD PLUS ANY
FACILITIES NECESSARY TO OPERATE THE PROJECT

M) SPECIFICATIONS FOR THE PRINCIPAL AND AUXILIARY EQUIPMENT
NOTE THAT RAILROAD DESIGN/ENGINEERING SERVICES ARE NOT
REPEAT NO INCLUDED IN THIS CONTRACT.

3. EXECUTING AGENCY/PROJECT MANAGER:

ING. JOSE LUIS JOVES

COORDINATOR, COAL PROJECT
CORPOZULIA
EDIFICIO CAJA POPULAR DE OCCIDENTE
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4. STATUS OF PROJECT/BID DATES: CORPUZULIA IS EXPECTED TO
ISSUE O/A MARCH 1, 1978, A CALL FOR COMPANIES TO PREQUALIFY TO
PROVIDE THE ENGINEERING SERVICES LISTED IN PARA 2 ABOVE. COMPANIES
WILL HAVE 30 DAYS TO PROVIDE THE PREQUALIFICATION DOCUMENTATION,
WHICH WILL PROBABLY INCLUDE, INTER ALIA,

A) FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL INFORMATION AS WELL AS
BANKING REFERENCES

B) A LIST OF SIMILAR PROJECTS DONE IN VENEZUELA OR
ELSEWHERE.

C) CURRICULUM VITAE OF THE TECHNICAL PERSONNEL WHO
WOULD WORK IN VENEZUELA ON THE CONTRACT

D) A LIST OF OTHER COMPANIES OR SUBSIDIARIES WHO WOULD
WORK ON THE CONTRACT

THESE REQUIREMENTS ARE NOT FINAL AND ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE.
SIGNING OF ENGINEERING SERVICES CONTRACT COULD OCCUR AS EARLY

AS LATE APRIL, EARLY MAY.

5. ESTIMATED PROJECT COST/ FOREIGN CONTENT: NA.

6. COMPETITIVE FACTORS: CORPOZULIA REGARDS THE DOCUMENTATION OF THE EXPERIENCE AND COMPETENCE OF THE TECHNICAL PERSONNEL (R) C) ABOVE) WHO WOULD PROVIDE THE SERVICES IN VENEZUELA TO BE VERY IMPORTANT.

IN PAST, FOLLOWING U.S. FIRMS HAVE EXPRESSED INTEREST IN WORKING WITH CORPOZULIA ON COAL PROJECT:

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B) KAISER ENGINEERS

C) MORRISON-KNUDSEN

D) DRAVO

E) PULLMAN-TORKELSON (PART OF PULLMAN-SWINDELL)

F) CONSOLIDATION COAL

G) ST. JOE MINERALS

H) FLUOR ENGINEERS

COMPETITION EXPECTED FROM BRITISH, FRENCH, GERMAN, CANADIAN, AND JAPENSE FIRMS.

7. SUGGEST COMMERCE ALERT ALL U.S. FIRMS WHO HAVE BEEN, OR MIGHT BE INTERESTED IN THIS OPPORTUNITY OF IMPENDING CALL FOR PRE-QUALIFICATION. EMBASSY WILL CABLE PREQUALIFIFATION REQUIREMENTS AS SOON AS THEY ARE PUBLISHED.

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